

No. P. 5209—Cts. 18-31-13, dated 1st—2nd March 1932.

Under section 14 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1904, Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore are pleased to appoint Mr. K. Lingappa as Special Magistrate for the Bench Court at Bangalore City, with the powers of a Magistrate of the Second Class for a period of two years.

By Order,
R. RANGA RAO,
Offg. Chief Secretary to Government

DEVELOPMENT SECRETARIAT.

No. R. 4020—R. M. 7-31-10, dated 27th February 1932.

It is hereby notified for general information that the name of Mantalu village in Dasanapura Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk is changed to "Sivanapura."

No. G. 7036—G. M. 15-31-50, dated 1st March 1932.

The accompanying Press Communique dated the 22nd January 1932 issued by the Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands regarding Haj Pilgrimage is published for the general information of intending pilgrims to Hejaz.

"In view of reports which have appeared in the Press as to the resignation of sanitary officials in the Hejaz and to the danger to which pilgrims who go on Haj this year may consequently be exposed, it is notified, for general information, that the Government of India after making necessary enquiry are satisfied that the reports in question are based on incorrect information and that there is no reason why pilgrims who propose to go on pilgrimage this year should not carry out their intention."

No. G. 7056—G. M. 15-31-58, dated 1st March 1932.

The accompanying Press Communique dated the 23rd January 1932 issued by the Government of India Department of Education, Health, and Lands regarding Haj Pilgrimage is published for the general information of intending pilgrims to the Hejaz.

PRESS COMMUNIQUE.

The Government of India understand that the Hejaz Government have announced that all charges included in their pilgrimage tariff must be paid at gold rate, that the transport charges in the Hejaz which include Government taxes have not yet been definitely fixed, and that a pilgrim's expenditure in the Hejaz including the tariff and transport charges is now estimated to be about Rs. 800 or a little less if strict economy is practised. This estimate is based on a local rate of 20 rupees per gold pound. The present rate is reported to be 19 rupees but the local value of rupee decreased when pilgrims arrive in the Hejaz in large numbers and may therefore go even lower than 20 to the gold pound. If the necessary addition is made for a pilgrim's expenses in India on account of the Railway fare from his home to the port of embarkation and *vice-versa*, the expenses at port, the cost of the steamer passage both ways, the cost of food on board ship, etc., the total expenditure of a pilgrim this year will be Rs. 1,100 approximately. Intending pilgrims should take care to provide themselves with funds of at least this amount before starting on the pilgrimage.

No. G. 7046—G. M. 15-31-62, dated 1st March 1932.

The accompanying Press Communique dated the 21st January 1932 issued by the Government of India, Department of Education, Health and Lands regarding Haj Pilgrimage is published for the general information of Pilgrims proceeding to the Hejaz.

PRESS COMMUNIQUE.

The Government of India have received information that the Government of the Hejaz have instituted an arrangement under which pilgrims, who wish to do so, can deposit their money or other property with their mutawwif or their agents, in return for receipts signed by them. The matter is brought to the notice of all pilgrims proceeding to the Hejaz from India: pilgrims who take advantage of the arrangement should take care to see that they receive their receipts, duly signed.

By Order,
B. T. KESAVA IYENGAR,
Secretary to Government,
Development Department.